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For: **Spatial Light Modulator Using an Integrated Circuit Actuator**
Inventors: Govil *et al.*
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Sir:

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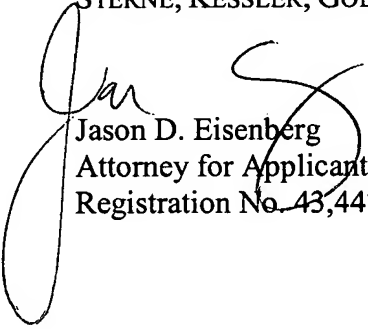
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